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For: COLORED OR FRAGRANCED HORTICULTURAL/AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS

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- 1. Patent Application (including Specification, Claims and Abstract);
- 2. Declaration;
- 3. Three (3) assignments (including Patent Recordation Cover Sheet);
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Total Claims: 50

Total Independent Claims: 13

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- 6. Six (6) sheets of formal drawings containing Figs. 1-5, 6A-6D and 7-8

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
 Applicant must submit \$ 355 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$670.
 - \$270 for 30 total claims over 20.
 - \$400 for 10 independent claims over 3.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 1090.

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